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ACTION STR-07

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ACTION STR PASS ELECTRICALLY
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E.O.11652:N/A
TAGS: MTN, ETRD
SUBJECT: FRG CONCERN ABOUT PROPOSED CONVERTED RATE FOR ASP
FOOTWEAR.

1. LUTZ OF GERMAN MISSION HERE CALLED ON USMTN DEL
(HARTZELL) TO EXPRESS HIS GOVERNMENT'S CONCERN ABOUT THE
CONVERTED RATE -- 80 PERCENT AD VALOREM -- RECOMMENDED BY
THE U.S. FOOTWEAR MANUFACTURERS ASSOCIATION TO COMPENSATE
FOR THE ELIMINATION OF ASP VALUATION ON TSUS 700.60, RUB-
BER-SOLED CANVAS UPPER FOOTWEAR. REPORTEDLY, THIS RATE
WOULD APPLY TO ALL ATHLETIC RUBBER FOOTWEAR, EVEN TO THOSE
ITEMS NOT PRESENTLY COVERED BY ASP.

2. ACCORDING TO LUTZ'S WASHINGTON SOURCES, THE ABSENCE OF
ANY SHOW OF CONCERN BY THE FOREIGN DELEGATIONS IN GENEVA
IS ONE OF THE REASONS THAT SUCH A HIGH CONVERTED RATE IS
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BEING SERIOUSLY CONSIDERED BY STR.

3. WE REPLIED THAT HIS EXPRESSION OF CONCERN WOULD BE RE-
PORTED TO WASHINGTON.

4. DRAFTED BY MALISH. MCDONALD

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Message Attributes

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